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Dear Sir:

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS  
AND INTERFERENCES**

The applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the Examiner.

Respectfully,  
Robert Gordon Hood et al.

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